

THE TWO THEORIES.

The theory of the Benson (Mitchell) house, that it is a legal organization, will preclude its sitting after Saturday night unless its members are willing to extend their own time free gratis to the people.

The theory of the Davis house is that it has consumed five days in an effort to effect an organization, and that pay of the legislature has stopped, and that when it ever becomes a permanent organization, it will run thirty-five days.

The senate has three times gone on record to the effect that the Benson house is not a legal organization. The senate cannot legally adjourn without the agreement of the Davis house to such adjournment. But that could be secured.

The Davis men say they will stay six months before they consent to an organization that is not according to their construction of the constitution. The Benson men say they will stay six months if necessary to elect Senator Mitchell, or some other senator, though most of them are for Mitchell against the world, the flesh and the devil.

It would seem as though there ought to be forty members of the sixty in the lower house who could lay aside their personal, partisan or factional interests and consent to consider the business of the people.

They should in this closing week, or in the next few weeks, if this is not to be the close, drop the pull of party, faction, or individual interests, lay aside the senatorial squabble and with a constitutional quorum of forty enact several repeal laws, several remedial laws, and pass an appropriation bill free from all jobbery.

A LOWER TARIFF.

The Republican tariff makers spent a day considering the schedule of manufactures of iron and steel. The committee decided tentatively to put the rate on nails at about one-fourth the McKinley rates, and to make it specific. Even the Wilson rates on nails were, in the minds of the committee, practically prohibitive, and a majority of the Republicans expressed the opinion that nails can be made so cheaply in the Eastern states that a duty is unnecessary. The Pacific coast, however, on account of foreign competition, seemed to need protection and the duty agreed upon will be for the benefit of the coast.

The McKinley program is to stake all upon a revision of the tariff at an extra session of congress as the surest means of restoring prosperity. In the mean time, while waiting for it to come, we advise people to put out gardens, saw their own wood, whitewash instead of paint, and make rag carpets and everything else instead of buying until the prosperity arrives.

AN HONEST DARE.

Senator Mitchell dare not allow the ninety members of this legislature to come together and ballot on senator, without caucus or party pressure.

Yet these ninety members are supposed to be freemen and representatives of a free people! Are they not chained to the political machine and shackled by customs that make them worse than slaves?

The theory of our government is that all men as political units in the commonwealth are free and equal. Is it not worse than a lie? Dare the Mitchell managers allow these ninety legislators to assemble and vote their honest judgment, or the wish of their constituents as to who shall be senator?

If these men dare not meet and vote thus are we not as absolutely under a political despotism as the subjects of the czar?

The cry is against too much legislation. In the constitutional convention the lamented Dave Logan declared the legislature ought to meet only once in ten years and then be allowed to sit only ten days to repeal bad laws.

Will John H. Mitchell, Sol Hirsch, and John P. Ward, in control of the federal offices purify Portland politics? Will their success in this legislature, backed by the Southern Pacific corruption fund put an end to centralization of power in Portland and give us purer state politics in future? Can Oregon be relieved from political domination for tribute for making over her future to a man who has proven an arch demagog on the only point where he had the confidence of the masses? Nay, verily!

No one claims any particular virtues for the opposition forces, but is there a person in Oregon who does not believe that all the pure patriotism, Republicanism, economy and consistency, are wrapped up in John H. Mitchell and his followers? If you doubt it, take a look at Capt. Belcher John P. Ward, John Minto, Hall and Hume, Geo. Wagner, O. N. Denny and Col. Mazuma!

"Look out for the hand wagon."— Mitchell's paid organ at Salem. These are the sort of campaign arguments employed to elect Mitchell. Are they not entangling, elevating and purifying utterances? They sound like the chirp of a small boy to the animal that trots under the wagon.

Hall and Hume and their \$15,000 a year fees were obstacles of holly horror two years ago. As part of the Mitchell push they are angels of purity, and when the Bensonite arises in the rump house and tells of his undying devotion to the cause of reform, Hall and Hume go into the rotunda and faint into each other's arms.

There is a general patient submission on the part of the people to paying their taxes, so long as they have something to pay with. But they are not going to give up their homes to maintain a government dictated to by hoodlums.

Jo Simon is a bad man in politics but somehow he enjoys the respect and confidence of the big business men of Portland. Can Bob Hendricks say as much?

That daily Metropolitan cartoon in the Statesman costs \$10 a day. Bob Hendricks never could afford it until Mitchell struck the town.

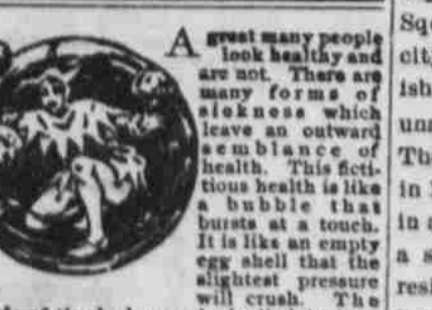
Men with too much patriotism on their sleeve are apt to have very little in their hearts.

All poetry for this column must be submitted in time for ample inspection.

You Can Be Well

When your blood is pure, rich and nourishing for nerves and muscle. The blood is the vital fluid, and when it is poor, thin and impure you must either suffer or you will fall a victim to sudden changes exposure, or overwork. Keep your blood pure with Hood's Pills as the best after-dinner pill; assist digestion, cure headache 25 cents.

In San Francisco a judge fined a man for making a frivolous appeal.



A great many people look healthy and are not. There are many forms of weakness which leave an outward semblance of health. This fictitious health is like a bubble that bursts at a touch. It is like an empty egg shell that the slightest pressure will crush. The outside of the body may look all right long after disease has begun its dreadful work inside. If a man looks well and doesn't feel well, he had better be governed by the feeling than by the looks. A great many apparently strong and vigorous men collapse suddenly. They have what is known as nervous prostration. They go along persistently, day after day, working hard and thinking hard, apparently healthy, and some day they go home and go to bed and don't get up again. The trouble didn't all come at once. It came on gradually. A strong man can live on his nerves and his health for a long time without apparent injury, but it isn't a safe thing to do. Whenever there is nervousness, or insomnia, or undue fatigue from ordinary work, when irritability takes the place of contentment, when a man "isn't sick but doesn't feel quite well" then is the time he should begin to take Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It is the best tonic medicine and nerve food, or invigorator in the world. It assists digestion, increases the appetite, promotes thorough assimilation of the food, purifies the blood and adds to it the life-giving principles that are needed to feed the thousands of people have been brought back to happiness and vigorous health. Thousands of people have been cured of most serious sicknesses by this wonderful medicine. Druggists sell it.

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FOREIGN.

A Review of the Past Week.

For Daily Reports of Affairs See Telegraphic Columns.

General Barrios, a Cuban leader, gained a brilliant victory over Spanish at Pinar del Rio city. He was guarding a hospital with 450 men when the Spanish assaulted him with a superior force. The Spaniards, in retreating, slaughtered 18 Pacificos, putting men, women and children to the sword. The Spanish loss was 250, while Barrios lost 43.

President Cisneros and General Gomez are opposed to any agreement with Spain not based on the complete independence of Cuba. Cubans believe more and more that the only hope of ending the war rests on the eventual intervention of the United States. Weyer's campaign has resulted in the destruction of three large districts General Gomez in an interview with a New York World reporter declares that they prefer to continue the war for independence to any reforms Spain may offer. He is marching to the west and has repeatedly broken through the Spanish lines of fortification.

It is not uncommon to read of the Spanish killing all the inmates of a hospital and slaughtering women and children. Non-combatants are either put in prison or killed. If these reports are all true and there is a God in Heaven the Spanish government deserves to be wiped off the roll of nations.

On February 9 a Spanish gunboat was sunk by the Cubans while ascending the Cauto river.

In the senate Morgan called up the Cuban resolution offered some time ago by Cameron. It was objected to and he was told there was no agreement of the senate that no business could be called up unless it was unobjectionable. In concluding the discussion he gave notice that he should press the resolution on all occasions, and did not recognize that the resolution acknowledging the independence of Cuba came under the unobjectionable clause.

The island of Crete lies south of Greece just as Cuba lies off the coast of Florida. Crete is 150 miles long and has 200,000 population, about one-fourth Mohammedans and the rest Greek Christians. The latter have raised the flag of Greece against the government of Turkey, just as the Cubans have raised the flag of independence against Spain. The Cretans desire annexation to Greece, their mother country. Prince George has been despatched with a fleet to prevent the landing of Turkish troops on the islands and the last accounts were that the insurgents were driving all before them. The Greek Squadron on arriving at the Capital city of Candia did not salute the Turkish flag. The people of Greece are unanimous for a union with Crete. The Cretans rebelled against Turkey in 1866 but were suppressed by Turkey in a three years war and were given a schedule of reforms. Greece will resist the introduction of Turkish troops into Crete as that would result in renewal of atrocities against the Greek Christians similar to those of the Turks against the Armenians. The declaration of Greece to this effect has aroused all the interested powers of Europe. They already have ships of war in Cretan harbors. It seems scarcely possible that war between Greece and Turkey shall be avoided. The Cretans are in possession of the larger part of the island and have adopted a provisional government demanding a union with Greece. The monarchies of Europe will use their utmost endeavor to prevent any change in the existing conditions, or any action by Greece that will militate against Turkey. The royalists of the large political centers of Europe dread nothing so much as a concession to public sentiment leading to enlarged power and liberty for the people of any country, whether it be Cubans, Armenians or Cretans.

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fair is the probable rejection of the general arbitration treaty with England by the senate. Also the unsettled state of affairs in the boundary dispute between England and Venezuela. The congress of Venezuela will have to act on the treaty and will probably adopt it. England was forced to offer a settlement of the dispute with Venezuela and may find other ways to thwart the final accomplishment of any settlement. The English expedition in Western Africa in the interest of the Royal Niger company has vanquished a force of 30,000 natives and captured the city of Bida, said to be three miles square. A number of native princes were killed or wounded. A census of the Hawaiian Islands shows a population of 100,000 of which 31,000 are natives, 25,000 whites. About 45,000 Asiatics. A New York corporation wants a franchise for 25 years and \$40,000 subsidy, to build a cable to San Francisco. It is the company headed by J. Pierrpont Morgan, the New York capitalist.

Japan will establish a gold standard at the ratio of 32 to one. The little southern republics are going in debt to build navies. The German emperor wants the German navy increased. In the past year six vessels of the United States navy have sunk or been more or less disabled. Running governments in debt to enrich naval contractors and extend the military aristocracy in times of peace seems to be the principal fad of modern civilizations.

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ITEMS OF INTEREST.

Nebraska proposes to appropriate \$150,000 to the Omaha exposition.

The legislature is now considering the question of permitting the use of voting machines at future elections in California.

Neyada is a great state, almost equal to Greece in its Olympic days. The governor welcomed the prize fighter Corbett on his arrival at the capital.

One of the roads, the Baltimore and Ohio, will lay 10 miles of special track at Washington, for storage of sleepers and special trains coming to the inauguration.

The new Siberian railway, when completed, will make it possible to reduce the time around the world to thirty-three days. Inform Mr. Phineas Fogg.

A New York criminal has applied bail to the purpose of murder. Whar safety is there for the mother-in-law when she may be led out by a Judascan osculation.

How fast can railway trains and locomotives run. Is a question ever present. The speed has been let out a notch by the Baltimore and Ohio, which on the 24th ult., ran its train called the Royal Blue line, 41 miles in 37 minutes, near Washington, and covered eight and one-mile of it in five minutes. The locomotive was a Baldwin ten wheeler.

Advertisement for Blackwell's Bull Durham Smoking Tobacco. Includes portraits of men and text: "The highest claim for other tobaccos is 'just as good as Durham.' Every old smoker knows there is none just as good as."

THE LEGISLATURE.

Baker and Malheur—Will R. King (Peo). Benton and Lincoln—Toibert Carter (Rep). Clackamas—Geo. C. Brownwell (Rep). Clackamas and Marion—Alonzo Gesner (Rep). Clatsop—John H. Smith (Dem). Columbia, Washington and Tillamook—G. W. Patterson (Rep). Coos, Curry and Josephine—C. E. Harmon (Rep). Crook, Klamath and Lake—B. Daly (Dem). Douglas—A. W. Reed (Rep). Gilliam, Sherman and Wasco—E. B. Dufur (Dem). Grant, Harney and Morrow—A. W. Gowan (Rep). Jackson—S. H. Holt (Peo). Lane—L. D. Driver (Rep). J. H. McCullough (Rep). Linn—A. Dawson (Rep). *A. J. Johnson (Rep). Marion—W. H. Hobson (Rep). *I. L. Patterson (Rep). Multnomah—Geo. W. Bates (Rep). J. E. Haseltine (Mitch. Rep). Donald MacKay (Rep). Ben Selling (Rep). Taxpayers' League, Joseph Simon (Rep). Polk—B. F. Mulkey (Rep). Sherman and Wasco—John Mitchell (Rep). Umattila—A. R. Price (Rep). Union and Union—T. C. Taylor (Rep). Union and Willamette—Justus Wade (Rep). Washington—S. Hughes (Rep). Yamhill—J. F. Calbreath (Rep). *Holders elected in 1894. Candidates for president—A. J. Johnson, of Linn, I. L. Patterson, of Marion, and Joseph Simon, of Multnomah. Baker—D. W. Youkum (Peo). Benton—John Whitaker (Peo). Benton and Lincoln—E. R. Lake (Rep). Clackamas—W. S. U'Ren (Peo). Douglas (Rep). J. H. Kruse (Peo). Clatsop—John E. Grate (Dem). N. J. Svindseth (Peo). Columbia—Norman Merrill (Rep). Coos—Thos. Buckman (Peo). Coos and Curry—W. H. Nosler (Peo). Crook—R. E. Misner (Dem). Douglas—A. M. Crawford (Rep). J. T. Bridges (Rep). Geo. W. Riddle (Rep). Gilliam—J. E. David (Rep). Grant and Harney—C. S. Dustin (Peo). Jackson—G. F. Schmittlein (Peo). J. J. Houser (Peo). Nat Langell (Rep). Josephine—Henry L. Benson (Rep). Klamath and Lake—Virgil Conn (Rep). Lane—L. B. Lyle (Dem). D. G. Palm (Rep). T. J. Vaughan (Rep). Linn—John M. Somers (Rep). Johnson, S. Smith (Peo). T. M. Munkers (Peo). Malheur—I. W. Hope (Rep). Marion—H. L. Barkley (Rep). E. W. Chapman (Rep). David Craig (Rep). McKimley Mitchell (Rep). J. N. Smith (Rep). Morrow—J. N. Brown (Rep).

Recapitulation. Number of Representatives... 60. Democrats... 34. Republicans... 26. People's... 4. Union... 2. Republican and Taxpayers' League... 1. Mitchell Republican and People's... 1. Union Bimetallic... 3. Taxpayers' League and Mitchell Republican... 1. Number of Senators... 30. Republicans... 22. Democrats... 3. People's... 3. Mitchell Republicans... 1. Republican and Taxpayers' League... 1. JOINT CONVENTION. Number of members... 90. Republicans... 56. Democrats... 7. People's... 17. Republican and Taxpayers' League... 3. Mitchell Republican and People's... 1. Union Bimetallic... 3. Taxpayers' League and Mitchell Republican... 1.

Portland Market. Portland, Feb. 10. Wheat valley, 82@83. Walla Walla, 81. Flour—Portland, 4.50. Benton county, 4.40; Graham, 4.00; superior, \$2.50 per bu. Oats—White, 39@40; grey, 38@40; rolled in bags, 4.25@5.25, barrels, 4.50@7.00. Cans, 3-75. Potatoes—Oregon, 65@75c per sack. Hay, Good, 12.50@13 per ton. Hops—@10c. Wool, Valley, @30c; Eastern Oregon 6@8c. Mohair, 15@20c. Millstuffs, Bran, 915@930; shorts \$10.50. Flour—Clatsop, mixed, \$10.25@10.50. Eggs, Oregon, 11c per doz. 1 1/2. Green, salted 6 lbs 7 1/2c; under 60 lbs 6@6 1/2c; sheep pelts, 10@70c. Tallow, 8 1/2c@9c per sack. Wheat—Buckley, 4.25@4.37 1/2. Beans—Small white, 1 1/2c@1 1/4c; lima @4c. Hops—Heavy, 3.00 to 3.25. Butter—Best dairy, 21@20c; fancy reamery 35@40c. Cakes, 12 1/2c. Dried Fruit—Apples, evaporated, bleached 10 1/2c@7c; unbleached, 3 1/2c@4c; sundried, 4c @5 1/2c. Cans—50@60c. Plums—pitted, 30@40c. Fruit—4 1/2c@5c. Meal—small 5; large 4 1/2c per 100. Mutton—Weathers 2.00; ewes 1.50; dressed mutton, 4c. Beef—Steers 2.75; cows \$2-2.50 reared 45 1/2c. Cured Meats—Hams 10c-10 1/2c; bacon 6c. Lard—in pails, 7c. SALEM MARKET. Wool, Oregon, choice 7@9c; inferior 5 @7c; valley, 8@9c. Hops—Quotable at 7.50 for new. Potatoes—60@75c per sack. Oats—Milling, 1.15@1.35. SALEM MARKET. Wheat—70c. Oats, 15c. Hay, mixed, chest, 9.00; timothy 11. Flour—in wholesale lots, 4.20@4.50; retail 4.40; bran, bulk 13.00; sacked, 14.00; 12-16, 11.00@11.50; chf; feed, 15.00. Poultry, Hens, 75c; Roasters 1.50 per doz; Turkeys, 8c. Veal—Dressed, 4c. Hogs, Dressed, 3 1/2c@3 3/4c. Live Cattle, 1 1/2c@2c. Sheep, 1.50, 1.50@2.00 cwt. Hops, Best, 12c. Eggs, Best, 9 a 10c. Fruit, Green—Apples per box 1.00@1.50. Farm Smoked Meats, Bacon, 6 1/2c; ham, 9c; shoulders, 5c. Potatoes, 40c per bu. Onions, 40c per bu. Dried Fruit—Apples, evaporated, bleached, 10 1/2c; unbleached 4c@5c. Plums—4c. Butter—Dairy 15@20c; creamery 25c.

Advertisement for Heart Trouble Quickly Cured. Includes a portrait of Miss Ella Kutz and text: "For 19 years I suffered from heart trouble. During that time I was treated by five different physicians. All of them claimed that I could not be cured. I was greatly troubled with shortness of breath, palpitation and pain in the side. If I became excited, or exerted myself in the least, the pain in my side would be very severe. At length, however, I commenced taking DR. MILES' HEART CURE and since then I have improved steadily. I can now sleep on my left side, something I had never been able to do before. I can walk much better than ever before, and am in much better health than ever before. I would recommend all sufferers from heart trouble to try Dr. Miles' invaluable remedy without delay." MISS ELLA KUTZ, 218 Wright St., Milwaukee, Wis.

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